

CORRECTED FISCAL NOTE

HB 2915 - SB 2958

February 6, 2008

SUMMARY OF BILL: Prohibits the printing of social security numbers on voter registration cards or used as an identifying number on such cards. Requires the replacement of voter registration cards containing social security numbers within one year of the effective date of this act.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

On January 21, 2008, we issued a fiscal note indicating *a not significant increase in local government expenditures*. Based on additional information from the Coordinator of Elections, the estimated fiscal impact of this bill is:

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Increase Local Expenditures* - \$364,300/One-Time

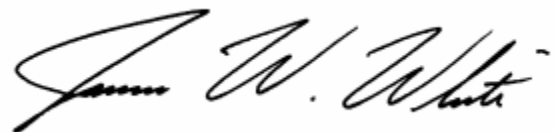
Assumptions:

- One-time increase in local expenditures to replace voter registration cards which currently contain the social security number of the voter.
- According to the Coordinator of Elections, there are 1,103,878 affected voters statewide who have registration cards which will require replacement within the one year timeframe.
- The cost of printing and mailing new registration cards is estimated to be approximately \$.33 per voter, totaling \$364,279.74. (1,103,878 voters x \$.33 per voter).

*Article II, Section 24 of the Tennessee Constitution provides that: *no law of general application shall impose increased expenditure requirements on cities or counties unless the General Assembly shall provide that the state share in the cost.*

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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